ABSTRACT

A Remote Tire Pressure Monitoring System

The present invention provides a battery-powered tire pressure sensor including a pressure transducer (10) for sensing a pressure of a tire and providing a tire pressure signal. The tire pressure sensor is arranged to transmit the signal containing information about the tire pressure of an associated vehicle tire to a cab unit (1) via a transmitter (13) where it is displayed to a driver of the vehicle. The pressure sensor monitors the pressure of the tire and provides the vehicle driver with early warning of any deflation, thereby improving safety as well a reducing tire wear and improving fuel economy. A timer (19) is included to turn the tire pressure sensor off when it is not in use to conserve battery power.